

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Lopez's have a new ad. Quite a lot of people in town this week.

County court next Monday. Considerable hay being imported. Teachers' meeting at Bellevue Saturday.

See the splendid sweaters at B. N. Brown's.

Fourteen inches of rain since September 12th.

The thermometer registered 26 degrees Tuesday night.

Mr. Delano says that the prospects are for a light winter.

The leaves are falling fast and the tints of autumn abound.

The boys are gathering the walnuts. The yield seems to be a bountiful one.

The Ironton Baskie Ball team worsted Piedmont last Saturday by a score of 37 to 10.

New crop Raisins, Figs, Currants and Evaporated Fruits, at Lopez Store Co.

We had quite a snow storm Monday morning. Two snows in October is some early winter.

H. B. Jones expects to remove from Pilot Knob to his new home in east Ironton this week.

Sam Doss, a former well known "sport" of the lead belt, in St. Francois county, has returned and gone to preaching.

Joseph, the Upholsterer, has moved to Allen's Marble Works to finish up his work, which will consume six to ten days.—Adv.

R. A. Knapp of Arcadia will remove to Ironton, occupying the residence on Shepherd street recently vacated by W. R. Allen, Jr.

Homer Marshall has ordered a new wood-sawing outfit. The engine is six-horse power and the outfit a mighty good one.

The thermometer went down to 28 Monday night—the coldest, so far, of the season. Ice formed on the buckets about the wells.

Married—At Roselle, Mo., Wednesday, October 22, 1913, by Elder F. B. Mathews, Henry Brown and Grace McCallum—all of Madison county.

There will be an administrator's sale of the personal property of the late D. S. Love at the former residence of the deceased, at Goodwater, November 8th.

Attention is directed to the advertisement of the Bank of Arcadia Valley printed on this page of the REGISTER. This institution shows a splendid growth.

Mrs. M. L. Beeson, of St. Louis, who had charge of the Smith Hotel during the summer, we understand, is trying to lease the Wick residence in west Ironton.

County Superintendent, Burnham attended the Southeast Missouri Teachers' Association at Poplar Bluff last week. He reports a very successful session.

Married—At the courthouse, Ironton, Mo., Monday, October 27, 1913, Wallis Randolph and Delpha Stumbaugh, of Bismarck, Mo., Probate Judge O. W. Roop officiating.

An article relative to Mrs. Rose H. Leech, a former Ironton girl, is reproduced this week from the Los Angeles Tribune. It is of interest to Mrs. Leech's friends in Ironton.

Halloween Friday. The Mayor of Farmington last week issued a proclamation warning the boys of that town not to indulge in the usual depredations that characterize the occasion.

A. I. Willard, proprietor of the New Willard Hotel at Ironton and manager of the Arcadia Valley baseball team, spent Sunday last here the guest of I. N. Hamilton. They attended the ball game at Crystal City Sunday.—De Soto Press.

The Ladies' Social Club met Tuesday last week with Mrs. J. N. Bishop as hostess. A most agreeable session was had, and the ladies all return thanks to Mrs. B. An elegant luncheon was served. Next meeting, November 4th, at Mrs. Wm. Fletcher's, Arcadia.

The ladies of the Social Club planned a surprise for one of their members, Mrs. Jelly, last Friday—Mrs. Jelly's birthday. The afternoon was most pleasantly passed and Mrs. Jelly was the recipient of a number of presents which she prizes very highly.

The REGISTER this week prints the official statements of the Iron County Bank, at Ironton, the Bank of Arcadia Valley at Arcadia and the Bellevue Valley Bank at Bellevue. All are sound, safe and conservative institutions, worthy the confidence of their patrons.

Mr. Wm. Trauernicht this week received a letter from Mr. D. F. Reese of Ferguson, Mo., in which Mr. R. states that the body of his son, Roland, who was drowned in the Mississippi river on the afternoon of October 12th has not yet been recovered. Most unfortunate, indeed.

The lodge of the Arcadia Country Club in the Shul-In was sold under deed of trust Tuesday. The property was bid in for \$400 by Mr. Louis Miller of Arcadia who owns the note secured by the deed of trust. Mr. Miller's claim is about \$800 and is balance due him for building the lodge.

The State Teachers' Association convenes in St. Louis Thursday, November 6th, and will remain in session three days. About twenty-five teachers from Iron county are expected to attend. All the teachers in the Ironton schools expect to go and the school will close in time for them to board train No. 4 Thursday evening. There will be no school Friday.

The following attorneys have been in attendance on circuit court this week: John Bigelow and B. E. Eames, of Boston Mass.; Judge Matt. G. Reynolds, W. F. Carter, Sam Mitchell, E. M. Grossman, Mackey & Mackey, of St. Louis; Sam Byrns, of De Soto; E. T. Eversole, of Potosi; B. F. Marbury, of Farmington; O. L. Munger, J. B. Daniel and J. H. Raney of Wayne county.

We understand that there are now two crews of surveyors and civil engineers at work locating and making the permanent survey of the route the new Bismarck, Bellevue Valley and Western R. R. will follow from Bismarck to Bunker. It is the general belief of those who are in a position to know, that this road will be pushed rapidly to completion in good time.—Reynolds Outlook.

It has been rumored in railroad circles that trains No. 25 and 26 will be put back on the road. No. 25 southbound would arrive here about 6 o'clock in the evening, and No. 26 northbound about 9:30 in the morning. These trains would be gladly welcomed by the traveling public. It would be a great accommodation for people of this city who would want to spend several hours north of here.—Bismarck Gazette.

Sheriff Blue made a trip to St. Louis last week and took in custody John Cooley, colored. At the April term of circuit court John pleaded guilty to the charge of "crap shooting" and was assessed fine and costs amounting to \$38.40. Not having the cash necessary to liquidate, he was released in order to give him an opportunity to earn the money and pay out. But just as soon as he was liberated he "skipped," nor was he located until last week. When arrested Cooley had \$24 on his person, which was applied to the payment of his fine and costs. He will serve a term in jail to liquidate the remainder. Going to jail didn't worry John one bit, but he did hate to turn loose the \$24.

The heaviest passenger train ever run on the Iron Mountain railroad passed through here Sunday afternoon as No. 3. It broke all records and, not only that, it exceeded the fondest expectations of officials regarding the pulling power of the new "2500" class engine. The big mogul dragged the heavy coaches and Pullmans from St. Louis without assistance anywhere. It walked right over the hills, climbing them without a snort or hard breath, traveling along as easily and smoothly as though pulling a baby buggy. Fourteen cars were believed to be the engine's capacity before this feat. But now, it is stated, officials are just lying back, having quit guessing, and await further wonderful stunts.—Poplar Bluff Republican.

There have been several cases of diphtheria reported during the past two or three weeks and several fatalities. The seven-year-old child of Jos. Davis, colored, died last week, but we are told that while it had diphtheria, the quarantine had been lifted and that some affection of the kidneys was the cause of its death. On the 17th the four-year-old child of Wm. Harris died of the dreaded disease. It was sick only a short time. The body of the little one was taken to Coldwater for interment. The two-year-old baby boy of Samuel Clouser, near Little Vine on Creek Nation, was, as far as we have been able to learn, the last child to die of the disease. A good many exaggerated reports are going around, but we have it from the health authorities that there have been no new cases lately.—Fredericktown Democrat-News.

The Board of Aldermen met last Monday evening and took up the water-works and sewerage proposition, and after some discussion, the city clerk was notified to send out notices to civil engineers that the Board will hold a meeting on Monday, November 3, for the purpose of consulting with such engineers as may be present to submit plans for the installation of the works. One or two engineers have already visited Potosi since the bond issue of \$14,000 was authorized and have given casually gone over the ground, and have gone off hand opinion that a water system of sufficient capacity to supply the city for many years could be installed for something like \$10,000. At the meeting held on November 3, the board will employ the engineer whose plans seem the most feasible to survey and plan the system and render an estimate of cost.—Potosi Journal.

Circuit Court convened Monday morning. A few minor matters were disposed of, and then Judge Dearing devoted the remainder of the day to hearing arguments in chambers on a motion to show cause why a receiver should not be appointed for the Potosi Lead, Baryte & Mercantile Company of Washington county. There was a vast array of counsel and the arguments exhaustive. Decision was reserved. Most of the court's time Tuesday was devoted to trying the case of State vs. Grant Canaday, on the charge of criminal trespass. The issues were given to the jury about five o'clock Tuesday evening and a verdict of \$5 and costs was returned next morning. The trial of this case last April term resulted in a hung jury. The case of J. N. Smith of the west end of the county, charged with

murder, will be continued until the next regular term of court. There is but one more case on the docket requiring a jury; that is State vs. Jesse Culton for felonious assault. It will probably be tried to-day (Wednesday.) It is thought the jurors will be excused from further service Thursday and that court will adjourn Friday morning. The cases sent here from Stoddard county were continued by agreement. Later—the Culton case was continued and the petit jury discharged Wednesday morning.

Within a few days the family of Judge Lindsay will move to St. Louis and live at 5930 Romaine Place, a valuable property recently purchased by Mr. Lindsay. The announced removal of this excellent family from Piedmont has created general surprise and regret, but the Banner learns that it does not really mean the severance of the ties which bind them to Piedmont, but the change is made primarily for the benefit of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay's children, Miss Rae and Mr. Lev. Lindsay. In their new home Miss Rae, whose gifts in music are recognized in St. Louis musical circles as well as in Southeast Missouri, has opportunities presented her for teaching instrumental music and voice which cannot well be spurned. Moreover Lev. Lindsay recently entered the employ of the Carleton Dry Goods Company, thus affording his parents another reason to move to St. Louis and be near him and assist his business progress. Mr. Lindsay will continue to make Piedmont his home and will be found at his old stand the Exchange Bank. He expects to buy a small home in Piedmont for Mrs. Lindsay and Miss Rae to be back at their home town during the summer vacation. Mrs. Lindsay will be missed by the religious, social, charitable, and temperance organizations of the town. In individual ministrations and public activity she has long been a recognized factor in all good works in the town.—Piedmont Banner.

A number of friends of Chas. J. Tesreau in the valley were very much surprised when they read of his marriage to a young lady in New York City. They had understood that he had a fondness for a girl in Perryville whom he some day hoped to make his bride. This story is told by the Cape Girardeau Republican: "Big Jeff Tesreau, who once upon a time many years ago pitched ball for the Perryville baseball team, was given a license yesterday at Rochester N. Y., to marry a girl of that city, Miss Eleanor Elizabeth Blake. That lets out Miss Clara Young, of Perryville, who was reported a year ago as engaged to Tesreau. A year ago also it was reported that Tesreau would marry Miss Young if he were a successful pitcher in the big world's series between New York and Boston. For some reason the wedding never occurred and it is said that the engagement between them was broken off at once. Miss Young was a telephone girl at Perryville and while the games were being played a year ago she daily called up this city to get the results of the games and to find how Tesreau fared when he pitched. Evidently he fared none too well as Miss Young would have none of him. The girls in Perryville demand that the ball players make good before they stand for any marrying business. They realize, it is reported from that town, that a busker is not so desirable for husband as a farm hand and as Tesreau since the recent games has prospects of finding himself where a batted ball could not help but knock off a few cockle-burrs, Miss Young probably decided to wait a little longer and look little further."

Says the Centerville Outlook: "We understand that many of the citizens of Lesterville and vicinity and the carriers on the mail route from this place to Sabula last week either worked or sent a hand on the road between Lesterville and Sabula, and it was the intention to put in several more days this week. Most of the work, we learn, was done across the line in Iron county, where something had to be done—the road being so rough that it was almost impossible to travel. This road, which is probably traveled more than any other road in Iron county, undoubtedly receives less attention than any road in that county. Practically every non-resident landowner that visits this county travels that road to reach this place as do the hundreds from St. Louis that annually spend their vacation at Mr. Hunt's farm and in the vicinity of Lesterville, it giving us the nearest and most direct connection with the Iron Mountain railroad. Iron county could and should keep this road in fairly good condition without the citizens of an adjoining county being compelled to work it. Get busy, Iron county, and see that your part of this road is kept in such a condition that your neighbors on the west who do a large business with you can visit you without first taking a few days off to work the road." We have no doubt but that our brother of the Outlook is fully justified in his criticism of the condition of this road and we hope that our county court will devise some way to immediately improve the same. But, Mr. Outlook, your statement that "this road is probably more traveled than any other road in Iron county" is out of all reason! Out of all reason!

John Lotz, an old resident, was found dead on his farm, two miles west of Ironton, last Saturday afternoon about two o'clock. In his hands was grasped the muzzle of a double barrel shot gun and a gaping and bloody wound in the left breast evidenced the cause of death. The discovery was made by the daughter of the deceased, Mrs. Fred Hanson, and her husband, who had just returned from a trip to Ironton. Mr.

Lotz made his home with the Hensons. That morning when the young people came to town he said that he would not accompany them, but would remain at home, and, afterwards, if the skies cleared he would take a hunt through the woods. The body was found about fifty yards from the barn near a wire fence. It is supposed that Mr. Lotz had climbed over the fence and was pulling the gun after him when it was discharged. The weapon was heavily loaded and the full charge entered his side in the region of the heart. Death, of course, was instantaneous. The body was cold when found and the physicians who were summoned said the man had probably been dead four or five hours when the discovery was made. Coroner Farrar decided that the tragedy was plainly an accident and it was not necessary to hold an inquest. The deceased was 64 years of age. He came to this community in 1867 and has resided here ever since. For nearly thirty years he made his home in the Cove, east of town, removing to the farm west of Ironton probably fifteen years ago. He was an honorable, upright man, and held in high esteem by all his fellow men. Five sons and two daughters, mourn his demise, his wife preceding him to the mysterious beyond four years ago. The remains were interred in the Cove Cemetery Tuesday morning. To the bereaved we extend our sympathy. May He who doeth all things well strengthen and sustain them.

The last issue of the Farmington News has the following to say in reference to Tim McCabe, the Graniteville pitcher: "The Farmington Tigers wound up the base ball season with an 8 to 1 victory over the Flat River team on the latter's grounds last Sunday. It was not only the last game of the season but also the deciding game of the county championship series which was started in the spring, and hence, by bagging this game the Tigers are now proud owners of the title of 'County Champs.' To McCabe, the big righthander whom the Tigers dug up during the summer and who is now on the St. Louis Brown reserve list, goes the credit of swinging the important game to Farmington. Despite the fact that the Brown recruit hadn't worked in the game since the Field-Lippman series here during the fair, he seems to have all his 'stuff,' especially his speed, and during the six and a half innings of play Flat River got to him for only three hits. It was dark and threatening rain, and with the Tigers ahead by a safe margin and McCabe pitching almost unhittable ball, Manager Dempsey agreed with Umpire Coffield that hostilities be called off. Pitted against McCabe was Eddie Duren who had successfully baffled the Tigers on the previous Sunday. However, on this occasion Duren seemed to be clear off his stride. He did not lack control but when he got it over he seemed to have nothing of a puzzling nature to the Tigers, and it took them just two innings to sew up the game. Three runs were sent over in the first and four came in the second. With three on the latter round, Bono cleared the bases with a triple. This walk brought relief for Duren as he was yanked by Manager Dempsey who assumed the mound duty himself. Dempsey finished the game in an effective manner, allowing but three hits and one run while he was on the job. His rescue work though came too late as the Tigers had already copped the game and the championship. Flat River's only tally came in the first inning on Horn's single, J. Dempsey's sacrifice, and Matkin's double. After this round McCabe allowed but one more hit, a triple by J. Dempsey. The day was a particularly a good one for McCabe's style of pitching. His fast ball could hardly be seen, let alone hit. On three occasions he retired the side on strikeout. His total number of whiffs was ten in six innings. McCabe also figured in the hitting, getting a double and a single. Bono also got a single besides his triple with three on.

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The home of good clothing is in the east. Brown has a fine lot of Clothing, just in, made for him in the east.

St. Francis River Bottom Land—1700 Acres, Cheap.

F. A. Garetson of San Diego, California, will be at the hotel at Fisk, Mo., from November 1st, to 10th, to dispose of the 1700 acres of St. Francis River Bottom Farming Lands formerly owned by the Garetson-Grayson Lumber Co. This land is near Fisk, and is well adapted to general farming. The owner lives in California, and is prepared to sell at very low prices and on unusually easy terms, in order to dispose of it on this special trip.—Adv.

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Coal and Wood Heaters, from \$1.00 to \$15.00. Comforts and Blankets from \$1.00 up. A. RIEKE & SON.

Statement of Condition

OCTOBER 21, 1913

The Bank of Arcadia Valley

ARCADIA, MISSOURI

OUR GROWTH:

JUNE 14, 1912
\$18,424.17

NOVEMBER 26, 1912
\$41,043.90

MARCH 26, 1913
\$45,484.81

JUNE 4, 1913
\$51,638.34

OCTOBER 21, 1913
\$61,976.54

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PERSONAL

W. R. Edgar, Jr., was in St. Louis last week.

W. L. Scoggin of Glover was in town Tuesday.

F. W. Gustine and wife went to New York Sunday.

Mrs. S. W. Andrews is home from a visit in De Soto.

R. A. Dunn of Sabula was among our callers Monday.

Lem Logan of Bellevue was among our callers Monday.

Mrs. H. W. Kerchner is here from St. Louis this week.

John M. Reel visited relatives in Flat River last week.

Hon. J. M. Bowers of Wayne county is in Ironton to-day.

W. H. Webb was here from Bixby several days the past weeks.

T. J. Dreesen, now living in Poplar Bluff, was an Ironton visitor last week.

E. M. Logan of Bellevue was in Ironton Saturday on his way home from a trip to Potosi.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lee and little daughter, of Arcadia, left Sunday on a ten days' trip to Arkansas.

Mrs. G. W. Durfee of Arcadia left Monday on a visit to friends and relatives in St. Louis and Waterloo, Illinois.

Ladies' good-weight fleece lined Underwear, 25 cents a garment, at Lopez Store Co.

Des Are Items.

We are having more rain than we need. It is holding back wheat sowing.

I was out on the Missouri Southern Railroad last week. That road is doing a wonderful business, running two trains every day. I met Frank Hackworth of Garwood; he is loaded down with orders, both oak and pine. He has a planer at Garwood that is running on full time. He has an order now for three million feet of pine and oak lumber. He also deals largely in cross or hewn ties. He has built a church there and they also have a school. My old friend, Lat. Matthews, is living there with his mother. "Lat," as we called him, was at one time one of the best business men in Wayne County, but of late he has had very poor health.

On my return to Leeper on the Iron Mountain I arrived in time to take train 23 to Poplar Bluff; having a daughter and son there it just suited me. I arrived there at 4:30 o'clock. On my way down the train was loaded with delegates to the Southeast Missouri Teachers' Convention, which was in session at Poplar Bluff. Over 300 delegates were there, representing 17 counties. Every delegate wore a badge of his county. I saw very few delegates from Iron county. Prof. Burnham was there and several others. Most of the schools adjourned in order to attend these conventions. I don't see how any teacher can afford not to attend these conventions. It is interesting and instructive. Over 200 delegates were assigned to the Wright Hotel.

Poplar Bluff has improved wonderfully since I was there last. They have paved most of the streets and it looks almost like St. Louis. There are lots of factories, saw mills and stove mills there. The addograph factory is also working a large force of men and girls. I also called on my friend, J. S. O'Neal, who is a Des Are boy; also his wife. He is President of the Hart O'Neal Mercantile Co. They carry a stock of \$40,000. Their sales never run under \$200 a day. His son, Clarence, is also connected with the clothing department of this concern.

The Baptist church there has just been completed. It cost, I learn, \$20,000. The Ladies' Aid Society furnished the organ. It cost \$2000. They also have a fine high school building.

Our section foreman, Doc Davidson, has cleared off our tracks through town; it looks like a city. He certainly has done a fine job. He got the prize last year for being the best foreman on this division.

Old man Thomson Winn, father of Andy Winn, took the train here Sunday for Gainesville, Arkansas. He is 84 years old; his third wife was with him.

Walter Lashley, who is our teacher at the Roberts school house, is very sick. Dr. Jones is attending him.

Graves & Stamp's planer mill blew the whistle last week. They will start last November.

Jno. McFall shipped a car of 12x14, 10 ft. white oak last week that netted him \$256. It was cut on St. Francis River. They have some fine timber out there.

Stevenson Bros. have made quite an improvement in their store building.

Dr. N. A. Farr has also put another story on part of his dwelling. It looks much better.

I notice that the W. C. T. U did not take much interest in the Busch funeral. He was their worst enemy.

Jack McFall has sold his house on College Hill to a party at Coldwater. Mrs. A. Davidson is visiting relatives in Kentucky.

Miss Hattie Hickman is home from St. Louis. She accidentally fell down a

flight of steps some time ago in which she fractured her arm, which has been giving her trouble.

Mrs. Bland Yelton is down from St. Louis on a visit to her parents, Mr. Mrs. Chas. Williams.

Mr. Husky and family from De Soto spent Sunday here with relatives.

Miss Gertrude Thompson spent Sunday with her parents at Bellevue.

Leonard Morris and wife and daughter, Bernice, are visiting relatives at Hoxie, Arkansas.

Mrs. J. L. Strader is visiting her son at Bismarck. ISAAC.

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For Sale—Cosy Home Poultry Yards at less than cost. GOOD REASON for selling. Situated half mile west of Ironton, Mo. LEVI OREN, Box 61.

The home of the late Henry Valle, colored, on Main street, Ironton, was sold by the sheriff at partition sale Tuesday. F. B. Runder was the purchaser at \$385.

For a popular family heater get a Cole's Original Wood Stove. Any child can control it perfectly.

Bellevue Items.

Mrs. J. C. Paulus was in Caledonia last Friday.

Wm. King had business in Ironton last Friday.

J. C. McColl spent last Friday and Saturday with his brother, Huston, who is teaching Montana school.

Mrs. Mary Latham, of Reynold County, is visiting her son, H. Latham, and other relatives in this county.

Lem Logan was in Ironton Monday.

Miss Francis Althuser of Caledonia visited Mrs. J. C. Paulus last week.

J. H. Campbell and daughter, Fannie, are visiting relatives in Lesterville this week.

Clarence Shelton and family spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Cedar Grove neighborhood.

Mrs. M. M. Blease, wife of Pastor Blease, arrived in our town last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Love and little daughter, of Edge Hill, visited in the homes of James Wood and J. H. Campbell last week.

Our valley was visited on last Sunday night with rain, frost, and snow. We have had only two light frosts. It is unusual to have snow before we have a killing frost.

Dr. D. Appleberry was on a business trip to Leadwood last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Auburn Edmonds and Miss Leona Wood were shopping in Ironton last Saturday. ALFA.

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